

Appl. No. 10/612,104  
Attr. Docket No. 7490MC  
Amdt. dated April 5, 2005  
Reply to Office Action of March 14, 2005  
Customer No. 27752

### REMARKS

Claims 1-10 are pending in the present application. No claims fee is due.

Claim 9 has been amended to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter of the present invention. The typographical error "MC-r" has been changed to "MC-4." No new matter has been added.

### Obviousness-Type Double Patenting

The Examiner has provisionally rejected the present Application under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over Claim 10 of U.S. 6,613,874. Applicants are submitting herewith a Terminal Disclaimer under CFR § 3.73(b) over U.S. 6,613,874.

### Rejection under 35 USC §112

The Examiner has rejected Claim 9 under 35 USC §112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and to distinctly claim the subject matter of the present invention. The amendment herein to Claim 9 obviates the Examiner's rejection.

Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejection to Claims under 35 USC § 112 is therefore respectfully requested.

### CONCLUSION

Applicants have made an earnest effort to place the present claims in condition for allowance. WHEREFORE, entry of the amendments provided herewith, reconsideration of the

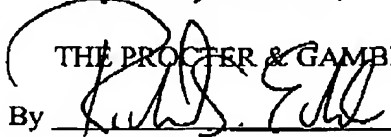
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claims as amended in light of the Remarks provided, withdrawal of the claims rejections, and allowance of Claims 1-10, as amended, are respectfully requested. In the event that issues remain prior to allowance of the noted claims, then the Examiner is invited to call Applicants' undersigned agent to discuss any remaining issues.

Respectfully submitted,

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